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For: PEPTIDE-CONTAINING ALPHA-KETOAMIDE CYSTEINE AND SERINE

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	A Request for Nonpublication
	A Specification including claims and abstract on pages 1 to.
	A copy of the specification including claims and abstract (pages 1-54) and drawings and appendixes (if any) of earlier Application No. 09/879,336 filed June 12, 2001, to which no new matter has been added. Such earlier application is hereby incorporated into the present application by reference.
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A copy of the executed oath or declaration filed in the earlier application  $\boxtimes$ identified above is attached. An Associate Power of Attorney executed by Suzanne E. Miller who is listed M in the copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney filed herewith. A Copy of the Power of Attorney with Revocation filed in prior Application Signed Statement deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application. This application claims foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 of Application No. filed in (Country). A Certified Copy of each of the above applications for which priority is claimed: is enclosed. has been filed in prior Application No. filed Sheets of Formal Drawings and/or Photographs. should be published. Figure Petition to Accept Color Photographs is enclosed. This divisional application is assigned of record to Cephalon Inc. as evidenced by the  $\boxtimes$ assignment recorded on 04/18/01 at Reel No. 011820 and Frame No. 0176. A newly Executed Assignment transferring rights to A Recordation Form Cover Sheet. Recordation Fee - \$40.00. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.  $\boxtimes$ A Sequence Listing consisting of pages 1-Diskette containing Sequence Listing is enclosed. The computer readable form in the above-identified application is identical with that filed in Application Number , filed . In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.821(e), please use the sequence listing filed on as the computer readable form filed in that received by the PTO on application as the computer readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant application.

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